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**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

APPLICANTS: Holgersson et al.  
SERIAL NUMBER: 09/194,396 EXAMINER: G. Ewoldt  
FILING DATE: December 8, 1998 ART UNIT: 1644  
FOR: ANTIGENIC FUSION PROTEIN CARRYING GAL  $\alpha$ 1, 3 GAL EPITOPES

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**NOTICE OF APPEAL**

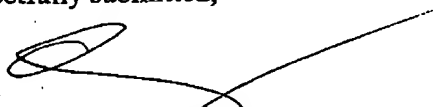
Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. §1.191, Applicants hereby appeal to the Board of Patent Appeals and Interferences from the Examiner's November 12, 2002 Office Action, finally rejecting the claims in the above-identified application. 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(b). Applicants have filed concurrently a petition for a two-month extension of time. With the extension, the Notice of Appeal is due on or before April 14, 2003, (April 12, 2003 being a Saturday).

The Commissioner is authorized to charge the amount of \$160.00 for the Notice of Appeal and any additional fees that may be due, or credit any overpayment of same, to Deposit Account No. 50-0311, Ref. No. 23254-501. A duplicate copy of this Notice is enclosed.

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